UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DEC 24 A 11:53

CIVIL APPTENDY OF BASS 431 JLT

| GHATTAS AND JOSEPH, INC., -Plaintiff, |) |
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| v. |) |
| CUMBERLAND FARMS, INC., By and through Its |))) |
| GULF DIVISION, |) |
| - Defendant | ĺ |

STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL (WITHOUT PREJUDICE)

NOW COME the parties in the above captioned matter and, pursuant to F.R.C.P. Rule 41(a) (1) (ii), hereby stipulate that that the above captioned matter be dismissed without prejudice. The parties further stipulate that (1) each party shall bear their own costs and attorneys fees; (2) this Stipulation is not an admission of liability; and (3) this Stipulation shall not be deemed to be an adjudication of the merits of the underlying action.

Respectfully submitted,

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